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Quarterly Report Of LUST Recovery Act Measures And Jobs Reported October 1 – December 31, 2012

Where does EPA get the LUST Recovery Act performance measures data?

Four times each year, EPA collects data from states and territories regarding Leaking Underground Storage Tank (LUST) Recovery Act money performance measures. In addition, states and territories report the number of jobs created or retained to the Office of Management and Budget. Performance data include: site assessments initiated, site assessments completed, cleanups initiated, cleanups completed, and other assessment and cleanup activities.

Is LUST Recovery Act work drawing to a close?

During the quarterly period ending December 2012, three states continued work using LUST Recovery Act money. One of the three states completed its work. The remaining two states, which are scheduled to complete their work by March 2013, will continue to report. As work is completed, the accomplishments states report each quarter will decrease. Overall, 52 of the 54 states and territories that received LUST Recovery Act money have completed their work.

What accomplishments have been achieved?

LUST Recovery Act Performance Measures	October 1 – December 31, 2012 Reporting Period	Cumulative February 17, 2009 – December 31, 2012				
Site assessments initiated	1	1,652				
Site assessments completed	6	2,416				
Cleanups initiated	3	2,263				
Cleanups completed	2	2,451				

Cumulative As Of December 31, 2012								
Sites where LUST Recovery Act money has been spent to achieve one or more of the performance measures	3,807							
Additional sites where LUST Recovery Act money contributed to activities, but have not achieved one of the eight measures	4,030*							
Total number of sites which benefitted from LUST Recovery Act money								

^{*}This number may decrease as sites achieve a LUST Recovery Act performance measure.

Where has LUST Recovery Act money been invested?

States and territories have discretion to spend LUST Recovery Act money on LUST eligible projects in various ways. For example, some states invest the money for assessments to get an indication of the degree and extent of contamination at many small sites. Other states focus efforts on a few difficult sites. Therefore, a small number associated with any particular performance measure can represent a significant amount of work and benefit,





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just as a large number can. In addition, states and territories choose to use LUST Recovery Act money either directly at the site or indirectly by funding state personnel to oversee activities.

What are the LUST Recovery Act measures?

EPA defined the LUST Recovery Act measures in its June 2009 *Guidance To Regions For Implementing The LUST Provision Of The American Recovery And Reinvestment Act Of 2009* (see page 7), which is available at www.epa.gov/oust/eparecovery/lustproguide.pdf#page=9. EPA issued additional guidance and lessons learned, also available on EPA's LUST Recovery Act Program Guidance website: www.epa.gov/oust/eparecovery/lustproguide.htm (see Recipient Reporting Guidance).

Where does EPA make previous reports available?

EPA's website www.epa.gov/oust/eparecovery/perfmeas.htm provides the current report, as well as historical reports beginning with the July 1 – September 30, 2010 period. The most recent report is listed first.

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LUST Recovery Act Performance Measures
Cumulative State And Tribal By Region Through 12/31/2012

		Site Ass	essments	Initiated	Site	Assessme Completed	ents	d Tribal By Region Thro Cleanups Initiated				ups Comp	leted	Activities Included In Measures*	Other Activities Not Included In Eight Measures**
Region	State	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total		
	СТ	7	2	9	12	0	12	6	0	6	1	0	1	12	(
	MA	9	0	9	9	0	9	9	0	9	3	0	3	14	(
	ME	8	0	8	8	0	8	7	0	7	7	0	7	12	(
1	NH	7	0	7	7	0	7	4	0	4	5	0	5	10	22
	RI	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	2	(
	VT	32	3	35	8	1	9	2	6	8	0	5	5	35	(
Region 1		62	5	60	44	1	4E	20	6	25	40	5	23	85	20
Total	NJ	63			44	0	45	29 6	0	35	18		3	16	28
	NY	16			16	0	16	60	0	60	60		60	62	(
2	PR	3				0	3	2		3	1		2	3	(
2	VI	0			0	2	2	0		0	0		1	8	(
	Tribal	0				0	0	0		0	0		0	0	1
Region 2		00	-	00	40		04	00		-00	0.4	•	00	00	
Total	DC	32			19 2	2	21 3	68 2	1	69	64	2	66	89 3	1
	DE	2				0	4	5	0	5	2		2	7	10
	MD	48	0		47	0	47	30	0	30	30		30	66	21
3	PA	20			36	0	36	20	0	20	11	0	11	50	25
	VA	0				0	0	4	0	4	4		4	6	
	WV	29				0	34	29	0	29	20		20	41	1
Region 3															
Total		102	0	102	123	1	124	90	0	90	68	0	68	173	63
	AL	14			21	0	21	11	0	11	8		8	26	7
	FL	17	0		16	0	16	15	0	15	1		1	17	0
	GA	18		18	17	0	17	21	0	21	22		22	30	2
4	KY	0		716	0	1342	1342	0	1310	1310	0		1218	1,566	1,088
•	MS	23			25	0	25	25	2	27	17	2	19	39	9
	NC	77	0		90	0	90	64	11	75	23		35	136	0
	SC	35	0		80	0	80	36	0	36	29	0	29	87	3
Danien 4	TN	24	0	24	12	0	12	29	0	29	11	0	11	42	10
Region 4 Total		208	716	924	261	1,342	1,603	201	1,323	1,524	111	1,232	1,343	1,943	1,119
	IL	40	3	43	30	4	34	31	0	31	24	4	28	50	C
	IN	14	0	14	23	0	23	32	1	33	22	1	23	34	1
	MI	0	0	0	3	0	3	2	1	3	2	1	3	3	13
5	MN	13	0	13	34	0	34	12	12	24	3	12	15	53	11
	ОН	34	0	34	31	0	31	30	0	30	25	0	25	34	0
	WI	3				0	6	12	0	12	4	0	4	18	6
	Tribal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Region 5 Total		104	3	107	127	4	131	119	14	133	80	18	98	192	34
	AR	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10
	LA	0	156	156	10	152	162	8	75	83	2	233	235	413	O
6	NM	2	0			0	17	3		3		0	6	28	1
U	OK	0					0	2		2			0	2	0
	TX	1				0	72	72		72	67		67	97	131
	Tribal	4	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	4	4	0
Region 6 Total		7	156	163	104	152	256	89	75	164	79	233	312	545	142

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LUST Recovery Act Performance Measures
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		Site Assessments Initiated Completed			nts	Cleanups Initiated			Cleanups Completed			Included In Measures*	Included In Eight Measures**		
Region	State	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total	Direct	Indirect	Total		
	IA	4	0	4	9	0	9	3	6	9	13	6	19	21	19
	KS	35	0	35	32	0	32	22	1	23	7	1	8	36	0
7	MO	32	0	32	4	0	4	14	0	14	2	0	2	33	27
	NE	12	0	12	49	0	49	52	1	53	45	1	46	56	16
	Tribal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Region 7 Total		83	0	83	94	0	94	91	8	99	68	8	76	147	62
	CO	22	0	22	18	0	18	18	0	18	11	0	11	28	12
	MT	4	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	6	0
8	SD	31	0	31	22	0	22	30	0	30	22	0	22	40	1
0	UT	2	0	2	2	0	2	9	0	9	0	0	0	9	0
	WY	2	28	30	2	0	2	2	0	2	2	34	36	64	664
	Tribal	1	0	1	10	1	11	1	1	2	5	5	10	12	7
Region 8			00	00	50	,	50	0.4		0.5	40	-00	70	450	004
Total	AZ	62	28	90	58	1	59	64 22	1	65 22	40		79	159	684
	CA	5	0	6 5	7		7	4	0	4	7		7 308	24 317	3 1756
	GU	10	0	10	10		10	0	0	0			0	10	0
•	HI	4		21	4	-	22	4	17	21	0		44	58	98
9	MP	1	17	2	0		0	0	17	1	0		1	38	0
	NV	6	0	6	6	- 1	6	4	0	4	4		4	6	0
	Tribal	6	0	6	10	- 1	10	21	0	21	2		10	15	29
Region 9	modi	J	Ū		10	U	10		J	2.	_	J	10	10	20
Total		38	18	56	39	18	57	55	18	73	18	356	374	433	1,886
	AK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3
	ID	6	9	15	3		10	6	0	6	0		0	18	0
10	OR	0		0	10	- 1	10	0	0	0	9		9	12	6
	WA	5		5	6	- 1	6	5	0	5	1		1	9	0
	Tribal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2
Region 10 Total		11	9	20	19	7	26	11	0	11	12	0	12	41	11
National To	otal	710	942	1,652	888	1,528	2,416	817	1,446	2,263	558	1,893	2,451	3,807	4,030

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